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CHRISTMAS is coming, REMEMBER.
Even though we are having RAIN.
It arrives on the 25th of DECEMBER;
And children expect some Toys AGAIN.

Our shipment of TOYS, CHINA and
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LOCAL NEWS.

21 shipping days to Christmas.

In Stony Plain, on Sunday, Nov. 25, the wife of R. B. Biddle, B.A., a son.

On Sunday, Nov. 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kigner a son.

In Edmonton, on Sunday, Nov. 18, to the wife of Dr. L. Fanning a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller of Detroit are visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Miller.

Mr. J. J. Clarke, our popular druggist, underwent an operation at the Edmonton hospital on Tuesday which proved successful.

Mr. D. McDonald, the popular manager of the Bank of Montreal, has been promoted to the branch at Limerick, Sask., his place here being taken by Mr. J. J. Selgeby.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Selgeby has his brother, Stanley, from Detroit visiting with him.

Mrs. J. J. Schmidt, a former resident of Stony Plain, died in Edmonton on Wednesday morning, after a short illness. She leaves her husband and seven small children.

Inspector Williams, of the Provincial Dept. of Health, was in Stony Plain Monday.

A very enthusiastic meeting of Curriers was held in the Town Hall Tuesday evening last—eight were present.

On Saturday, December 8, Blueberry School Board will hold an auction sale of the old Blueberry school building and contents, stove and the oil library. By order, Joe Wendel, Chairman Blueberry S. D.

A meeting of the U. F. A. Local will be held at the Royal Hotel Saturday next at 2 p.m.

Father Hughes held R. C. services in the Town Hall on Sunday morning last. Services will be held in the same place on Christmas morning at 10.30.

Muskrat season opens on Saturday next. Gets a trapper's license at the Sun office.

A meeting of the directors of the Agricultural Society was held last week, at which the principal business was the setting of the date for the annual meeting, which will be held in Stony Plain, Saturday, Dec. 8, at 2.30 p.m.

Secretary Pidgeon of Ingle Municipal District, will be in Stony Plain on Saturday, December 15, to collect taxes. Ratepayers are reminded that, after this date, a penalty of 5 per cent. is added to the amount due.

GET IT at HARDWICK'S.

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A Clean-up of

Children's Winter Hats.

See Our Table of REMNANTS.

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Winter Caps, Gloves and Mitts at Reasonable Prices.

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Concert, Basket Social AND DANCE,

Friday Evening, Nov. 30,

AT 8 O'CLOCK SHARP, AT THE

NEW BLUEBERRY SCHOOL.

LADIES PLEASE BRING BASKETS.

COME AND HAVE A GOOD TIME

For particular people—

COFFEE

"How good it smells"—for it is packed fresh roasted, and the doubly sealed can preserves its rare aroma and flavor.

One For All, All For One

Statesmen, publicists and thinkers the world over have been forced by the logic of events to full realization of the fact that the development of friendly relations between nations and the maintenance of the peace of the world depends upon the creation of a sane imperialism rather than the perpetuation of the extreme and partisan nationalism which was the guiding motive of peoples and nations in the past, and which finally culminated in the Great War. The development of such internationalism must be based on correct information and an intelligent consideration and understanding by the people of one country of the conditions, problems and ambitions of all other countries.

It has been stated before, but the statement will bear both repetition and emphasis, that in these days of modern rapid means of communication and intercourse no nation can live unto itself alone. All are interdependent on others, and what adversely affects one reacts on the others, and vice versa, what benefits one proves of advantage to all, provided such benefit is not gained at the expense of another. Even Canada and the United States, remote though they are in terms of geography from Europe, have learned that their welfare and prosperity is intimately linked up with the welfare and prosperity of the Old World.

It is well, therefore, that even on these Western prairies people should from time to time, and as frequently as possible, give some thought and consideration to conditions in other parts of the world and the trend of thought and events in their lands.

For example, the revolution in Russia quickly affected the whole world. The rising of the Soviet Republic under leaders committed to the theories of Communism in its most extreme form led to a spirit of unrest everywhere, and a determination, cultivated by vigorous and intensive propaganda directed from Soviet headquarters, to enforce the most radical and revolutionary ideas in other countries. The experiment of extreme Communism in Russia brought that enormously wealthy country into a condition of bankruptcy and financial, industrial and economic chaos. The Soviet leaders found it necessary to revise their theories and to abandon many of their policies.

The result is seen in the report of a mission of ten British business men recently returned from Russia which is optimistic on present and future conditions there. Following the death of Communism, confidence in the Government has been established and improvement in conditions everywhere noted.

It may be argued that, with a return to sound conditions in Russia, that great country will again become a competitor with Canada and the United States in the grain markets of the world. This will undoubtedly prove the case, but, on the other hand, the resumption of business relations by Russia with the world will be a most important factor in restoring industrial activity in Great Britain, and to the extent that unemployment is lessened there, the purchasing power of British artisans and workers will be improved, and Canada will reap the benefit. Likewise, the opening of the Russian markets to exports from Canada and the United States will redound to the benefit of and increase prosperity in these countries.

Whatever, too, may be the outcome of the election contest now being waged in Great Britain on the issue of Protection versus Free Trade, and in which to some extent is bound up the question of extended preferences to the overseas Dominions of the Empire, at least one lesson is being learned by the people of the United States, namely, that if one nation persists in a policy of excluding from its markets the products and goods of other countries, those countries in turn will be forced to adopt a somewhat similar policy in their relations with the United States, or any other country adopting a similar policy of selfish isolation. The United States tariff has hit Canada hard, but it has not conferred the desired and anticipated benefit on the United States, and the longer it is persisted in, the more the United States will suffer in the long run.

It is gratifying to note that there is a steadily growing body of public opinion in the United States in favor of that country taking its place in the League of Nations, or, if that is not possible, in favor of the United States taking the leadership in evolving some substitute body for the league in which it will take its rightful place and exercise its influence in support of world peace, and the avoidance of that same, and much needed, internationalism whereby insane, partisan nationalism will give place to a recognition of the truth that humanity is one, and that, instead of the old cry of each for himself, the new world slogan should be, "One for all, and all for one."

The Income Tax

Revision of Tax in U.S. May Result in Changes Here

Proposed reductions in the United States income tax, which is very similar to the Canadian tax insofar as salaries of moderate size are concerned, has aroused some interest in Ottawa. In his budget speech, delivered in 1929, Sir Henry Dwyer, Minister of Finance, stated the principle that "our measures of taxation must, in view of our geographical situation, have regard to United States legislation."

Whether or not Finance Minister Fielding holds the same view, it is regarded as likely that important reductions in the United States tax would make the question of tax reduction in Canada a very live one. It has been argued in some quarters that a high income tax acts as a deterrent to immigration, and that a country anxious for immigration cannot afford to retain her tax at a much higher level than the United States.

As a vermicide an excellent preparation is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator. It has saved the lives of countless children.

New Lieut.-Gov. of Quebec

Hon. L. P. Brodeur has been appointed Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec to succeed Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, who recently resigned. Mr. Brodeur was a Judge of the Supreme Court of Canada since 1911 and prior to that held portfolios in the Canadian Federal Government under the Premiership of the late Sir Wilfrid Laurier. He was born at St-Jovite, Quebec, August 21, 1862, educated at the College of St-Hyacinthe and Laval University, and called to the bar in 1884.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Pain

Open B.C. Legislature

Important Legislation to be Brought Down by Government

The fourth session of the fifteenth parliament of British Columbia was opened recently by His Honour Lieutenant-Governor Walter C. Nichol, who, in his speech indicated that important legislation will be brought down by the government before the house prorogues.

The government's legislative programme, it was stated, will include bills to regulate the hours of labor in certain industries, to reduce the present taxation on real and personal property, to effect amendments to the Taxation Act, to redistribute electoral constituencies, to reorganize the provincial police force and to consolidate and revise all British Columbia Statutes.

The formal opening of the house was more colorful than it has been in recent years, and was witnessed by crowded galleries.

Dogs Hold Leading Place

Tractors Fail to Displace Them in the Arctic

Dog teams still hold the leading position as means of conveyance in the frozen north; a certain type of power tractor has been tried in there but found wanting, in the opinion of Lange Koch, the Danish explorer, who has just returned to Copenhagen, after an expedition in northern Greenland with the machines. It is impossible to substitute self-propelled machinery for dogs, he says.

Stomach Cramps

Yield to "Nerviline"

When doubled up at midnight with cramps you don't feel like experimenting. What you want is something to remove the cramps. Nothing acts so effectively as Nerviline. Two or three drops in a little sweetened water, and quick relief is at hand. Nerviline is about five times as strong as most medicines, and because so strong, a small dose is required to give instant effect. For stomach, or intestinal, cramps, etc., Nerviline should be kept in every home. For sure protection, get "Nerviline" today. 35¢ at dealers.

Alberta Highway Improvements

It is practically certain that from \$50,000 to \$70,000 will be spent next summer on the reconstruction of the road from Calgary to Banff, and from \$300,000 to \$1,000,000 on four roads in Alberta, according to C. A. Davidson, chief engineer and chairman of the highway commission.

TEETHING TROUBLES

Baby's teething time is a time of worry and anxiety to most mothers. The little ones become fussy, peevish; their little stomachs become deranged and constipation and colic sets in. To make the teething period easy on baby the stomach and bowels must be kept sweet and regular. This can be done by the use of Baby's Own Tablets—the little laxative for little ones. The Tablets are a sure relief for all the minor ailments of childhood such as constipation, colic, indigestion, colds and simple fevers. They always do good—never harm. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Saskatchewan Junior Red Cross

Following their regular custom, the Saskatchewan Junior Red Cross is again issuing a Christmas stamp to be used as a sticker on mail matter during the holiday season. They are sold at one cent apiece and can be obtained in any quantity desired by sending to the Junior Red Cross Headquarters, 2321 Victoria Avenue, Regina, Sask. The entire proceeds from the sale of these Christmas stamps will be devoted to the Junior Red Cross Fund for Cripple Children.

Aunt Jemima Rag Dolls

Get this jolly family for your children

Aunt Jemima, Uncle Mose, Wade and Diana—four of the jolliest rag dolls you've ever seen; all in bright colors ready to cut out. Also a sample package of Aunt Jemima Prepared Buckwheat Flour, a sample package of the famous Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour and a recipe folder telling how to use it in making five waffles, muffins and special pancake treats. Send coupon and 30c in stamps or coin—today.

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U.S. Dirigible For Arctic Expedition

Will Give Assistance in Polar Flight

If Needed

A United States naval aviator will participate in an attempt next summer to traverse the Arctic regions by airplane, the navy department at Washington has announced. Lieut. Ralph E. Davison will pilot one of the three planes, making up the convoy which will be commanded by Capt. Roald Amundsen, the Norwegian explorer.

The expedition will be transported on ships to Spitzbergen in May, and an adequate base will be established there. When ice conditions permit the fliers will be carried by the ship to a point about 450 miles from the north pole, from which the final "take off" will be made.

Airplanes of special design will be used, equipped to permit landings on ice, snow or water. Each will be equipped with radio sets for communication with the depot ship at the permanent base, which, in turn, will have wireless apparatus strong enough to relay the explorers' reports to the world.

No matter how deep-rooted the corn may be, it must yield to Holloway's Corn Remover if used as directed.

Jones—Oh, er—Garsong regards sece—er—apportez-vous—la— Walter—Beg pardon, sir, I don't speak French.

Jones—Then for goodness sake send me some one who does.—Pearson's Weekly, London.

The Ancient West

Now that the scientist says the first American settled at Santa Barbara, 35,000 years ago, the west may look with patronizing tolerance on the upstart east.—From the Boston Transcript.

For Stomach Troubles

Pain After Eating

For Men and Women, the Ideal Restorative That Helps Quickly, *Is

DR. HAMILTON'S PILLS

A Medicine Which Enjoys a Sound Reputation Because it Brings

These vegetable pills possess in a truly remarkable way the power to strengthen and tone the stomach, the liver and bowels.

Thousands use Dr. Hamilton's Pills every day, and derive from this wonderful medicine the assistance the system requires in order to run as nature expects.

If you have headaches, bilious attacks, indigestion, get Dr. Hamilton's Pills today and learn what this wonderful vegetable remedy can do for you. 25c at all dealers.

Ready Built Bungalows

Ready built bungalows are included in the British Columbia exhibit which was shipped to the British Empire Exhibition recently.

Minard's Liniment for Coughs

Elmira, New York, has a portable theatre designed for community service.

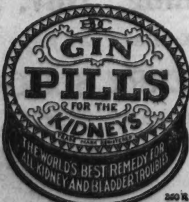
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A Harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups—No Narcotics!

Mother! Fletcher's Castoria has been in use for over 30 years to relieve babies and children of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind, Colic and Worms; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving natural sleep without opiates. The genuine bears signature of

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Everywhere

THE TOBACCO with a heart

Treasures From Arctic Added To Collection In Memorial Museum, Ottawa

Ancient Eskimo domestic implements, the long, strange, spiral horns of the narwhale, rare Arctic insect specimens, birds' eggs and bones, a few hundred pictures of the lovely permafrost flowers that bloom in a brief northern summer—these are some of the treasures added to the Victoria Memorial Museum at Ottawa from the gift of the Canadian Government.

They represent the summer's work of J. Dewey Soper, a young naturalist from the University of Alberta, who accompanied the Arctic expedition on its mission of taking supplies to far R.C.M.P. posts and justice to a few Eskimo murders, but comfortably housed in permafrost for life.

Lands traversed by the Arctic party in many instances had not been investigated previously, so that as a result of Mr. Soper's keenness the museum has specimens unknown to any other expedition in the world. It is the first Arctic expedition on which definite technical work has been systematically done by a trained naturalist. Mr. Soper brought back more than a thousand specimens ranging from the tiny tremble which enjoys the Arctic summer to the strange skulls of unbent Eskimos over which this winter scientists will pore in their study of the history of the race. In addition there are many photographs of flora and fauna which Eskimo people, of the voyage of the Arctic, and the life of a mysterious and strange country now frozen the greater part of the year, but which was once tropical and productive.

A particularly interesting portion of the collection is a group of fossils, dating back many years. Some are of coral, proof that the region was once tropical. Mr. Soper brought many pebbles from the museum and made some excellent pictures of Eskimo beliefs in their party clothes. Ordinarily the women wear trousers much like the men, except that they are partly overhauled by a panel-like arrangement suspended from the blouse, elaborately decorated with colored skins. The Eskimo women are experts with the needle, and no white man dwelling in the north could exist without their good offices in the making of clothes and boots and sewing furs.

Eskimos have few fuel worries, having hardened to feel comfortable at a few degrees below zero. The igloo, in contrast to the summer Kippuk made of seal skins skilfully sewn, is built of snow blocks which also form the mural decoration. What heat there is comes from hollowed out flat stones packed around with moss and filled with seal oil, for which the moss forms a wick. These are burned day and night, but the temperature of the winter residence never rises sufficiently to cause the roof to drip.

The most beautiful things in the collection are the birds, some typical of an Arctic summer and others more rare. A horned lark was brought back from Strathcona Sound, providing a most northern record for that bird; and the graceful terns, who summer in the Arctic and winter in the Antarctic, making a 10,000-mile return trip yearly.

These are only a part of the treasures unpacked. Later they will all be on exhibition in the museum. In the meantime, Mr. Soper, having accomplished a good summer's work, has returned to the University of Alberta and expects to go back to the north next summer.

Resources of Minister
Hon. James Lynd, Minister of Lands and Forests for Ontario, recently visited Northern Ontario and says that the possibilities of Northern Ontario are nothing short of marvellous, and states that the next fifteen years the development will astonish the Dominion. This year 1,200 men and four aeroplanes in five provinces were used in the north at a cost of \$1,970,000. At every point the people were optimistic and enthusiastic regarding the future prospects for connection with the development of resources of the north.

Americans Will Buy Herring From Canada

Fisheries Department Predicts Good Winter Business For B.C.

In spite of the Fordney tariff and former strong competition from the United States Alaska herring fisheries, there are splendid prospects that the winter herring fisheries in the Nanaimo and the Barclay Sound districts of Vancouver Island will prove highly lucrative, according to a report issued by the Marine and Fisheries Department.

Preparations have been made this year for the handling of fish which, in the past, were usually salted and shipped to China. Many of the curing places have enlarged to three times their capacity and, in addition, there has been an important revival in the curing of a better quality of fish in the Scotch style for the United States market.

A shortage in the Alaska supply has turned attention of an American buyer to British Columbia.

A Skyscraper Church

The First Methodist Church in Chicago is the highest building in that city, rising to a height of five hundred and fifty-seven feet. It cost four million dollars. In the lower part of the building is an auditorium and a social centre. Many religious organizations have offices here. On the very top is a revolving cross, lighted by electricity, which can be seen in four states. Special permission to erect a tower for this, was given by the city council.

A Suit for Fall Wear.



Very elaborate indeed is this suit of black velvet heavily embroidered in bright green and red beads—collared and cuffed with red fox.

Get Off Lightly
"Hello, Jones, what's up?"
"Guns hot wound, old man."
"Great Scott! How did it happen?"
"Out shooting?"
"No, home—learning the cornet."

Advance In Dairying Gratifying Feature Of Canadian Agriculture

Seed Cleaning

Stimulating the Production of Pure Seed in Alberta

Production of pure seed grain in the province of Alberta has become stimulated to such an extent, through the efforts of the provincial department of agriculture and the Seed Growers' Association, that practically 50,000 bushels of pure seed will be handled through the agricultural department's co-operative seed cleaning plant this season, in comparison with the 15,000 bushels handled last season, the first year of the plant's operation.

So successful was the operation of the plant in its initial season, that applications were received this year from registered seed growers for more than 100,000 bushels to be handled through the plant. The capacity of the plant at present, however, will permit only the handling of approximately 50,000 bushels during the season.

The plant is acknowledged to be one of the most modern types of seed cleaning plants on the continent. Its operation on a co-operative basis has encouraged the production of pure seed that there are now over 500 registered seed growers in the province, with the number growing every season.

Unanswerable

Aunt Mary was trying to persuade little Bob to retire at sunset, using the argument that all the little chickens, went to bed at that time. "Yes," said little Bob, "but the old hen always goes with them." Judge.

One of the most gratifying features of Canadian agriculture today is the increasing importance dairying is coming to assume in the economies of the Dominion. The manner in which this branch of the Dominion's agricultural activity has expanded in the past twenty years probably outstrips in achievement any other stripe of farming. Comparing the production of dairy butter in the Dominion between the years 1900 and 1922, it is found that the output has increased by over three hundred per cent, and the value by over six hundred per cent. In the last five years alone the output has increased by nearly seventy per cent and the value by fifty per cent, so that it can readily be seen the Dominion's rise to the eminent position it occupies now in dairying is a movement of very recent times.

The number of dairy factories in operation in Canada in 1922 was 3,111, comprising 1,161 creameries, 1,565 cheese factories, 252 condensed butter and cheese factories and 23 condenserries. The total quantity of creamery butter made in Canada in 1922 was 147,752,774 pounds, valued at \$51,529,750, being the largest shown for any year in the history of the industry. The total quantity of cheese made in the same year was 126,570,473 pounds, valued at \$22,067,106. The total value of condensed products was \$5,329,223, and of miscellaneous products \$2,255,472.

A very pleasing increase is recorded in Canada's exports of butter, and markets have been secured abroad without undue trouble on account of the high quality of the Dominion product. This now goes in quantities to the United Kingdom, Belgium, Bermuda, British Guiana, British Honduras, Barbados, Jamaica, Trinidad and Tobago, China, Cuba, France, Hong Kong, Newfoundland, St. Pierre and Miquelon, and in smaller amounts to several other countries. Approximately 17,500,000 pounds went to the United Kingdom last year and 2,560 pounds to the United States.

Of particular interest is the dairy industry which is being built up by Western Canada. Five years ago the prairie provinces were dependent upon importations for their butter and other dairy products. Today not only are they meeting domestic needs from their own manufactures, they have a substantial surplus for export. Millions of pounds of butter from the prairies are now going each year to Eastern Canada, United States, United Kingdom, the Yukon and Oriental countries.

The Choice of Climates

Easier to Keep Warm in Cold Weather Than it is to Keep Cool in Hot Weather

"The coldest place can keep warm in a cold country, but the wisest man cannot keep cool in a hot country." * * * Yet the Indian was absolutely right. If the number of persons who perish of cold in Canada were compared with the number who die of heat prostration in the central cities of the United States, it would be found that a man must be indeed incapable if he allows himself to be frozen to death in the course of the coldest Canadian winter, while many a wise man has given up the ghost yielding a palmy-fan and trying to keep cool in the heat of New York or Pittsburgh. —Fort William Times-Journal.

Mexico Has Right Idea

Volunteers Are Teaching Illiterates to Read and Write

Since the Government of Mexico cannot in a brief time overcome much of the illiteracy that so retards the progress of the nation, the University of Mexico has made an appeal to all educated Mexicans to devote a part of their time to teaching as many people as possible to read and write. Already thousands of volunteer teachers have enlisted in the service. To encourage the work a diploma is given to everyone who presents for examination one hundred pupils that he has taught, and the diploma, aside from its symbolic worth, entitles the holder to preference for advancement in the government employ.



THIS IS THE FOREST THAT GOD MADE

"Eternity are made by fools like us
But only God can make a tree." —Jesse Taylor

This is the forest that God made

This is the tree that flourished and grew
Beneath the skies of an azure blue
Within the forest that God made

This is the camper that came that way
Just on a picnic to spend the day
In the shade of the tree that flourished and grew
Beneath the skies of an azure blue
Within the forest that God made

This is the camp-fire neatly laid
To boil the water, when tea was made
Lit by the camper that came that way
Just on a picnic to spend the day
In the shade of the tree that flourished and grew
Beneath the skies of an azure blue
Within the forest that God made

This is the fire that travelled wide
And devastated a countryside
Caused by the camper who carelessly left
By the thoughtless weight of a hot hearth
From the same camp-fire so neatly laid
Lit by the camper that came that way
Just on a picnic to spend the day
In the shade of the tree that flourished and grew
Beneath the skies of an azure blue
Within the forest that God made

These blackened specters so grim and bare
Are all that's left of a night so fair
In the track of the fire that travelled wide
And devastated a countryside
Caused by the camper who carelessly left
By the thoughtless weight of a hot hearth
From the same camp-fire so neatly laid
Lit by the camper that came that way
Just on a picnic to spend the day
In the shade of the tree that flourished and grew
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REPORT GIVEN BY U.G.C. SHOWS PROFITABLE YEAR

Winnipeg.—A profit of \$533,000 was earned by the United Grain Growers, Limited, in the year ended August 31 last, it was reported to the annual meeting of delegates from the shareholders held in Winnipeg. It was said Hon. T. A. Cresser, president of the company, the strongest report ever submitted to the shareholders. Out of the profits there was taken \$225,488.58 for an eight per cent. dividend; there was added to depreciation reserve the sum of \$159,107.96 to make up for depreciation not taken care of the previous year. With the balance of last year included, the sum of \$209,729.68 is carried forward in profit and loss account.

The company's current assets were reported at \$1,407,846.69 as against current liabilities of less than one-third that amount, or \$1,385,172.40. Of the current assets more than a million dollars, or \$1,041,891.31, was in cash on hand or in the bank. Advances on bills of lading and other debts due the company amounted to \$615,120.73, while stocks of grain, farm supplies, etc., are carried at \$158,269.28. The capital assets of the company amount to \$413,711.19, chiefly in elevator buildings, warehouses and equipment. The capital liabilities to other than shareholders, consist of mortgages, mortgage bonds and debentures amounting to \$1,674,146.21.

Capital stock subscribed now stands at \$3,220,100, of which \$2,821,305.09 is paid up. The general reserve is \$1,200,834.50, and the depreciation reserve is over one-third of the whole value of elevators, warehouses, and other tangible assets subject to depreciation.

COULDN'T SLEEP HEART WAS BAD NERVES A WRECK

Mr. H. A. Field, Upper Musquodouvoit, N.S., writes: "I am very thankful for the benefit I have received by using Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. When I came home from overseas, in 1920, my heart was very badly affected by concussion, and my nerves were a dreadful wreck. I was very short winded, and could not possibly sleep at night, in fact, I was in such a condition I felt as if I did not wish anyone to speak to me. I thought I would try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and before I had taken two boxes I could enjoy a good night's rest, as well as anyone. There are lots of returned men who are suffering the same as I did, and I feel sure they would only try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills they will receive the same relief that I have."

Price 50c a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Facilities Increased

Capacity of Vancouver Grain Elevator 2,000,000 Bushels

Vancouver.—Wheat handling facilities at this port have been increased to the extent of 400,000 bushels additional storage. The new unit at No. 1 elevator, it is announced, will be ready to discharge wheat to ships on December 1. It increases the present capacity of the elevator to approximately 2,000,000 bushels and the efficiency by one-fourth.

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Mrs. A. Moffatt, Roxton Falls, Que., writes:



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Reach Full Accord On Note to Germany

Paris.—The allied council of ambassadors called to consider the text of the note to be sent to Germany reached a full accord at their meeting. The result was declared by the members leaving the council and by Marshall Pichon to be particularly satisfactory.

The ambassadors adopted the text of two notes to Germany, one concerning inter-allied military control in the Reich and the other the return from Holland of former Crown Prince Frederick William. Both notes were delivered to the German embassy as soon as they were signed by Premier Poincaré.

Conservative Party To Organize

Prominent Conservatives to Address Gathering at Saskatoon

Regina.—The Conservative party in Saskatchewan is holding a large provincial convention in Saskatoon on Tuesday, December eleven, with a view to organizing along Federal and Provincial lines. The unit of representation will be ten delegates from each provincial constituency. Prominent Conservatives, in addition to the official delegates, will be present from all parts of Saskatchewan.

The following speakers have been invited to address the convention: The Honourable Arthur Meighen; the Honourable S. F. Timine; the Honourable Robert Rogers; the Honourable How Ferguson, Premier of Ontario; Major Percival Taylor, leader of the Conservative party in Manitoba; and Honourable W. J. Bowser, K.C., leader of the Conservative party in British Columbia.

Says Eskimos Should Not Be Hanged

Same as Hanging Child Opinion of Labrador Missionary

London, Ont.—"To hang an Eskimo for murder is the same as hanging a little child for murder. The penalties of Canadian law should not be imposed on the far northern inhabitants of Canada. They are ignorant of civilization's basic principles, and when they commit crime they know not what they do."

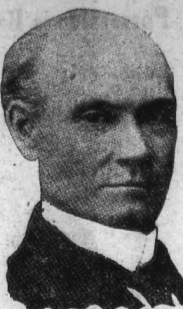
Dr. W. T. Grenfell, distinguished Labrador missionary, thus expressed himself in connection with the conviction of Eskimos charged with murder at Fort Herschel recently. "Ethically the Eskimo is just like a child of seven years. You would not hang a child of seven years, would you?"

Minister of Justice Is Not Resigning

Sir Lomer Gouin Denies Report on Reaching New York

New York.—Denial of the report that he contemplated resigning from the Federal cabinet, because of ill-health, was made by Sir Lomer Gouin, minister of justice, on his arrival here on the White Star liner Majestic. Sir Lomer declared that, while his health had not been of the best for some time during his sojourn in London, where he was in attendance at the Imperial conference, it was now much improved and he had not considered the question of resigning from office.

WESTERN EDITORS



C. B. Halpin, Editor and Proprietor of The Western Globe, Lacombe, Alberta.

Shipping Turkeys East

Lake Saskatoon District Sending Two Carloads of Live Birds

Edmonton.—Real live Christmas turkeys which robbed strutted and in general comported themselves at-tick on the way to a hundred farmsteads in the Lake Saskatoon district, north of here, are destined to find a last resting place amid floral tributes of cranberries upon the plates of Toronto citizens West December 25, rolls round.

Two carloads of live gobblers, shipped under the auspices of the egg and poultry marketing services of the Dominion and Provincial Governments, will leave Lake Saskatoon in two weeks time, on their first and last sightseeing trip.

In specially equipped cars, with ample feed and water en route, the turkeys will not only reach the Toronto market alive and well but will probably have gained in weight on the trip.

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Champion Mangel Grower

B.C. Man Breaks Record With Seventy Tons to Acre

Victoria, B.C.—Fred Barnes, of Croft Acres, near here, was declared to be the champion mangel grower of all Canada for 1923, according to word from Dr. Harry Dobie, plant growth and fertilizer authority. Dr. Dobie has been investigating mangle growing records from various parts of Canada. Mr. Barnes, with a production this year of 70 tons to the acre, was recently awarded the championship for British Columbia at the provincial fairs. Dr. Dobie now proves that this is the record.

Tower of London Safe

London.—The Tower of London is safe for another 1,000 years, says an authority, despite rumors that the ancient buildings were badly cracked and were in danger of collapse.

Duty Not Affecting Wheat Export to U.S.

Ottawa.—Canada's export of wheat to the United States for the month of October indicates that the existing United States tariff is not keeping the Canadian article out of the American market. In the month mentioned, Canada shipped to the United States 2,119,000 bushels of wheat, while a year ago, the shipments were only 1,716,000 and 1,650,000 in October, 1921.

The exports of October just past were made in the face of a duty of thirty cents a bushel as were those of October a year ago, while in October, 1921, the duty was thirty-five cents a bushel. In October, 1920, when wheat entered the United States free of duty the Canadian exports to that country was 8,311,000 bushels.

Doctor Cook Sentenced

Former Arctic Explorer Given Prison Term For Fraud

Fort Worth, Texas.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, former Arctic explorer, found guilty of using the mails to defraud in oil promotion schemes, was given a sentence of 11 years and 9 months and fined \$12,000.

A. K. Eckman, the last of the defendants to be sentenced was given seven years in prison and fined \$12,000.

Dr. Cook was sole trustee of the Petroleum Producers' Association. Fred K. Smith, treasurer, was sentenced to seven years in prison and was fined \$12,000. S. E. J. Cox was sentenced to eight years and fined \$8,000.

Judge Millett passed sentence on Dr. Cook after a scathing denunciation of the methods said to have been practiced by the former Arctic explorer. Dr. Cook, who made an international character of himself because of sheer effrontery, was conducting a school of crime and operating a cold-blooded, deliberate confidence game, disguised as the Petroleum Producers' Association, Judge Millett asserted.

Elevator Will Serve

Peace River District

Work on Edmonton Structure Will Start Immediately

Fort William, Ont.—Construction will be begun this winter on a new inter-government terminal elevator at Edmonton. Lated Chairman Leslie H. Boyd, of the Board of Grain Commissioners. The building will be under the control of the Board of Grain Commissioners and will be of the same capacity as that at Calgary, 3,500,000 bushels. Engineer C. D. Howe has the plans under preparation and the foundation will be laid immediately and the house will be ready for grain next fall. It is being built to serve the Peace River district, which produces large quantities of tough wheat requiring drying, and will also serve as a feeder from the Canadian National lines to Vancouver, as Calgary does for the C.P.R.

Seek Temperature Of Ocean Depths

Scientists Believe North Pacific Waters Affect Canada's Weather

Vancouver.—In order to obtain temperatures at a depth well below the surface of the North Pacific ocean, thermometers are to be affixed to the bottoms of all Canadian Pacific trans-Pacific liners by the Dominion Meteorological Department. Scientists now believe the temperature has an important bearing on the weather of Canada, and the department is taking steps to learn if this is a fact. J. Patterson, chief meteorological physicist of the department in Toronto, was here to arrange for installation of the instruments.

Received By French President

Paris.—Premier Mackenzie King of Canada was received by President Millerand at the Canadian touring exhibition here. Mr. King afterwards laid a wreath on the tomb of "The Unknown French Soldier" and later lunched at the British Embassy.

W. N. U. 1500

FOOD PRICES IN GERMANY ARE PROHIBITIVE

Berlin.—Germany is in the midst of a food frenzy. Prices have passed all reason. Flouring in, trillions and handling hundred trillion-mark notes has seemingly unbalanced the minds of some of the producers, storekeepers and restaurant proprietors. An ordinary outlet of two eggs cost five gold marks or more than one dollar, and meat dishes twice that amount. The price of a single apple in the cafes is two and a half gold marks, or more than sixty cents.

The prices of clothing and leather goods are proportionately high and are still soaring. The cost of food in the markets is beyond comprehension as the supply is short and the producers are unwilling to accept paper marks.

Germans are travelling into Czechoslovakia, Holland, Austria, Poland and Denmark buying foodstuffs and all sorts of manufactured articles, thus duplicating the performances of the residents of those countries a year ago, when they invaded Germany and bought heavily before the prices rose here in proportion to the marks decline.

Practically all the financial operations in Germany now take place outside the banks, as the official rate on the mark is 100 per cent. higher than the rate on the "Black Board." The illicit money dealers not only pay twice as much as the banks, but they have actual marks while the banks pretend not to have them. Nearly every man, woman and child in Berlin is searching for bargains in exchange in efforts to meet the excessive living costs.

B.C. Rhodes Scholar

Vancouver.—Garrett Stuart Livingston, 21, son of the late Stuart Livingston, prominent local barrister, who died recently, has been chosen British Columbia's Rhodes Scholar for 1924. He is a fourth year student in arts at the University of British Columbia.

Doukhobor School Burned

Nelson, B.C.—A Doukhobor school at Brilliant was burned, the police have been advised. This is the fifth school to be burned in Doukhobor community near Nelson or Grand Forks, within the year. In several cases the resident teachers have had narrow escapes.



Imperfect Development in Children suggests
SCOTT'S EMULSION

"Help the Veterans"

To help solve the problems of the Veterans' Associations, a Dominion-wide campaign for funds is now being conducted in the form of a Poster Judging Competition.

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No. 1 Southern	70
No. 2	65
No. 3	62
No. 4	55
OATS	
2 C. W.	24
3 C. W.	22
Extra 3 Feed	20
No. 1 Feed	19
No. 2 Feed	17
HAY	
No. 3	32
No. 4	28
Feed	24
Rejected	17
WHEAT	
No. 2	43

Stony Plain and District.

Messrs Geo E Clarke and Muriel McKinlay waited on the Council Friday night, and obtained a grant of \$300 to the Agricultural Society.

Mr and Mrs Alec Shaul witnessed the big Rugby game in Edmonton on Saturday, when Victoria High played Calgary high for the Ross cup and championship. Their son Raymond was playing wing on the winning team and was a tower of strength to his team mates.

A party of hunters headed by L G Stevens and P W Trautman left on Friday in two autos for Styal district. Messrs T M Robbins and M R Keating, Stettler, and Hy Kulak left Tuesday for the North on a moose hunt.

Mr Philip Litzemberger has loaded and shipped his third car of wheat since threshing. This gentleman has seven more cars of grain to ship, from his farms.

The first of a series of turkey shoots was held on Friday last at the Comet Butta by the Rifle Club. Some good scores were made, and nearly everybody was happy as nearly everybody got a turkey.

The Rifle Club is holding another shoot on Saturday afternoon next. A good attendance is requested, as the rifles will shortly be turned in to the Department.

This week the Duffield U.F.A. crammed four head of cattle and 54 hogs into one car and got away with it without having to draw on their risk fund. The next shipment they expect to put some hogs up in the feed racks.

Philip Miller says that the farmer government cannot be called slow. The returning officer and election clerk were using his sample room for counting the votes on the 15 Nov. and got the election vouchers into town by the 17th and on the 23d he had a check for his room rent.

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Fire Near Town.

On Wednesday evening of last week a very disastrous fire occurred on the highway about four miles from Stony, when the home of Mr John Geislinger was burned to the ground. The fire is said to have been caused by the careless dropping of a burning match on the floor. The fire had gained such headway when discovered that every effort to extinguish it proved unavailing, and the house and contents were a total loss.

There is said to have been an insurance policy for some \$1200.

The neighbors threw their houses open for the reception of the homeless family.

Stony Plain and District.

Val Mohr Jr. is up from Mundare, on a visit to his parents.

Mr Henry Jr. is calling a meeting of the Skating Club for next (Tuesday) evening.

The Minstrel Troupe held a practice Monday evening.

At a sitting of the local Court on Saturday two cases of amateur engineers operating steam outfits without the proper certificates were up. Nominal fines were imposed in each case.

The St Mathew Lutheran Ladies Aid will hold their bazar at the Oppertshausen Store on Dec. 1. Remember the date.

Wedding at Blueberry.

A very extensive celebration took place last week, and lasting several days, when Miss Lena Harapezuk was united in marriage to Mr Andy Kette. The opening performance was staged at the home of the bride's parents at Blueberry, when feasting and dancing were the order of the day.

A Near Accident.

While our worthy member of Parliament, Mr Moody Washburn, was motoring in to Stony Saturday evening in his reliable Henry car, he had the misfortune to have the high front wheel detach itself from the rest of the machine. With great presence of mind, the worthy gent put on the brakes, thus saving himself from being projected into space. After a search was made, the missing wheel was located. The only other damage was a broken watchman's kolit and the windshield glass was slightly bent.

The Town Council.

Stony Plain Town Council held a meeting on Friday to open tenders for the carting and skating rink. Three had been received—M F Valk for \$1490, M S Moyer \$1465, and I Umhach \$1437.50. It was pointed out that Council had applied for the privilege of issuing debentures for \$1500, but some \$150 of this amount had already been paid out for leveling the ground and other incidentals. As the funds available were not sufficient to allow awarding a contract, the Secretary was instructed to write the Utilities Board concerning the matter.

Railway Time Table.

Grand Trunk Railway.
Going east 4:27 p.m.—Sunday, Mon., Wed., Thurs., Friday, and Saturday.
6:10 a.m., every morning, stops on flag only.
Going west, 1:30 p.m.—Prince Rupert Express, every day, except Sunday.
2:10 a.m., every day, Vancouver Express; stops on flag only.

Calendar.

29—Val Dressler Sale.
30—Blueberry School, Concert and Dance.
Dec. 1—St. Matthew's Bazar, at Oppertshausen Store.
5—Mrs Carl Miller sale.
6—J M Enders sale.
7—Concert and dance, Duchocka's Hall.
8—Annual meeting Agricultural Society.
21—Concert and dance at Comet.

U.F. Convention.

About eight locals were represented at the U.F. Convention held in Stony on Monday last. Some very good addresses were made by Messrs Finnmore, Washburn and Best, and delegates elected to the Provincial Convention to be held in January at Edmonton. The election of officers resulted as follows—

The election for officers resulted as follows:
Hon President, W M Washburn.
Pres., Wm Best.
Vice Pres., J E Meisner.
Sec., N P Finnmore.
Committee, Adam Wolf, A Klapper, N P Finnmore.

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